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RETURNING TO OLD ALLEGIANCE

French Canadians Leaving New England in Large Numbers—A Note-worthy Movement.

Boston, March 26.—A considerable movement of French Canadians employed in New England industrial centers to Canada during the next few months is indicated by the reports of transportation agencies and by dispatches from Ottawa and Montreal.

The Canadian government officials, which have colonization agents at work among former Canadians in New England, state that the bulk of the repatriation movement is directed toward the new provinces in the Northwest, where free lands and other special inducements are offered to responsible settlers.

As usual at this season, there will also be a moderate stream of travel leading toward the country districts of Quebec province and New Brunswick, where some of the French Canadians, who are employed in the mills of Fall River, New Bedford, Lowell, Lawrence, Manchester, Lewiston and other places, own cultivated farms.

A dispatch from Montreal states that nearly 600 families will leave New England for the Northwest within a month. About 100 of these families are said to be employed in the cotton mills of Lewiston, Biddeford and Saco, Me.

For months, agents have been going through New England, October 20, and have the French speaking people in the Canadian Northwest. An order in council has been passed at Ottawa providing that any immigrant, male or female, entering Canada, including persons going from the United States, must be employed in the Northwest, and have in his or her possession at the time of arrival at least \$25 in cash.

BEEF TRUST MEN ALARMED.

Jackers Find That If Convicted They Will Be Liable to Prison Sentences.

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Counsel for Glavis Asks Permission to Call

SECRETARY OF INTERIOR

Lawyer Protests—The Committee Is to Decide the Question on a Later Date.

Washington, March 26.—Attorney Louis Brandeis, representing Glavis and others, sprung a decided surprise on the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee yesterday by declaring that he wished to call Secretary Ballinger as one of his witnesses.

Mr. Vertrees, counsel for the secretary, was on his feet in an instant. "Mr. Ballinger," he said, "is the person most interested in this inquiry. We ought to be allowed the discretion as to including when he should appear."

Mr. Brandeis said he desired to prove by Ballinger certain letters that could be proved best by him. "Mr. Ballinger has already contemplated appearing more than once before this committee," continued Mr. Brandeis, "his letters to the committee show that he is ready to come at any time."

"When this inquiry first began, Mr. Ballinger sent a letter here in which he expressed the desire to leave the committee untrammelled. He did not even desire to have counsel, lest it should hamper the committee in its search for the facts. It is perfectly clear that we should not be brought to a stop in our inquiry without being able to lay before the committee those facts which Mr. Ballinger alone is aware of and can best enlighten the committee."

Representative Madison asked Mr. Brandeis if he regarded him as a witness to material facts, and the attorney declared he did.

"And you intend to examine him on all points that you consider material?" inquired Representative McCall.

"Yes, sir," Mr. Brandeis was then directed to proceed with his other witnesses, the Ballinger matter being deferred for the time being. Stephen D. Birch, managing director of the Morgan-Guggenheim syndicate in Alaska, then was sworn.

Mr. Brandeis read into the record a copy of the memorandum agreement, entered into July 26, 1907, by Clarence Cunningham, Miles C. Moore, A. B. Campbell, and the other Cunningham claimants, as vendors to Daniel Guggenheim, as vendee, stating terms under which the claimants would convey a half interest in their coal lands.

COOK APPEALS FOR AID

The Doctor "Broke." It Is Said, and Is a Nervous Wreck.

New Orleans, March 26.—A letter received here from Colon declares that Dr. Frederick A. Cook is on his way to New Orleans from Panama, South America, with New York as his objective. Full details of Dr. Cook's plans are not given. From an apparently reliable source, however, it was learned that Dr. Cook will travel under an assumed name. The letter, dated several days ago, states that at the time of writing the explorer was preparing to leave Colon. Of two boats which left Colon at about the same time, let's be written, one will arrive today, and the other is due on Monday. The letter is said to be from Dr. Cook's wife and to contain an appeal for aid to a former friend of the Brooklyn man. According to reports, Dr. Cook's gains from his New York exploits are not great, and he and his wife are now practically penniless. Since his exposure, Dr. Cook, according to this letter, has been in a condition bordering on nervous prostration.

FEDERATION OF LABOR GROWS.

Secretary's Report Shows Increase in Membership of 6000.

Washington, March 26.—The report of Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor, for the five months ending March 1, which was submitted to the executive council of that body Thursday, indicated an increase of six thousand in membership over the same period last year. There was a balance on hand March 1, of \$154,603. Expenditures were increased by litigation under the Sherman anti-trust law and injunction and contempt proceedings. The federation issued 102 charters to newly formed local unions directly affiliated. Affiliated international unions reported the issuance of 400 charters.

WEBSTERVILLE.

St. John the Baptist church, Rev. W. J. M. Reardon, rector. Holy communion, 9 a. m.; evening prayer and special service by Rev. G. J. Booth, D. D., holy baptism at the close of the service; all who have children who are not yet baptized will please present them at this service; Sunday school and presentation of children's missionary boxes at 2 o'clock.

Baptist church, Rev. A. S. Burrell, pastor: 10:30, sermon, "The Easter Message of Joy"; 12, Bible school; 3, Junior C. E. leader, Murdo McClelland; 6:15, Christian Endeavor, leader, John Galt; 7:45, Easter service, short service of songs and recitations, the pastor will read the beautiful story, "Easter in Heaven." At the morning service, the pastor is reading a series of articles, "How It Looks to the Man Outside." These are very practical, and those who do not hear them are missing a good thing. Come and hear them.

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Constipation is a most frequent cause of piles. That is why women suffer more often from piles than men. Indoor work and lack of exercise brings on the attacks.

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If you take several doses of Pape's Diuretic, all backache and distress from out-of-order kidneys or bladder trouble will vanish, and you will feel fine.

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PRESIDENT TAFT WILL SEE YALE PLAY CORNELL

College Contest at Washington Will Be First Baseball Game of Season for Taft, Who Will Have Box with His Boy.

Washington, March 26.—President William H. Taft, who has never hesitated to show his fondness for baseball, will see his first game of the season here next Monday afternoon, when Yale and Cornell meet on the American league grounds.

President Taft, while attending the Yale corporation meeting at New Haven this week, announced his intention of attending, if possible, and when young Charlie Taft returned Thursday from Yale for the Easter holidays, arrangements were completed.

Manager J. Ford Johnson of the Yale team, at the request of young Taft several days ago, reserved a box at the grounds for the use of the president and his party.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Avery Strong Company Here the Last of Next Week.

Lovers of good plays, properly presented, at popular prices, should be interested in the coming of Avery Strong company, which opens a three night engagement at the Barre opera house, commencing March 31st. Bearing in mind the old and true rule that "the play is the thing," the company offers their present season some of the best class of plays obtainable for repertoire production. As with the plays, so with the acting company, it is high grade in every respect, and to make the attraction complete, the management promises some extra good specialties between acts. No attraction playing at popular prices offers the theatre going public more for the money than does Avery Strong company. Leading the acting contingent is Miss Eva Scott, a young actress of unusual talent and charming personality. Eddie Paulter, a rapid fire comedian, presenting company, which is exceptionally strong. The plays to be presented during the engagement include "The Minister's Sweetheart," by J. A. Frazer, "Hello Bill," a thoroughly good American comedy, "Molly Bawn" and "Lena Rivers." The company opens their engagement here with a production of "The Minister's Sweetheart." The first night will be ladies' night, ladies' tickets being issued to the limited number of 200.

"Billy, the Boy Artist," Coming.

The Boston Journal says of "Billy, the Boy Artist," which comes to the Barre opera house soon:

"Billy, the Boy Artist," as comical on the stage as in the comic cuts, attracted a large audience to the Grand opera house last evening. This mischievous boy with his brush, as is well known, is the work of Ed. Payne, a local cartoonist, and has been the cause of many a laugh during the ten years that the pictures have been running.

The show is a two-act musical farce, based on Billy's mischievous, artistic ability, and is a side-splitter from go to finish. Mr. Payne, who also wrote the book and lyrics, was present, and after much coaxing on the part of Miss Ethel Nason, the comedienne, appeared on the stage and made a short speech, much to the delight of his many friends present.

It was very evident that much care was taken in picking the cast, for the different characters were well portrayed. Francis Grace was "Billy," a true-to-life and kind going with his antics and songs. Theodore V. Reunie and Jack Cleary represented Professor O. How Wise and Professor I. B. Schmart, respectively. Ethel Nason certainly did make a sweet and captivating Pansy Blossom and was a real treat, as were also the rest of the company.

Weston Feeling Fine.

Standish, Mo., March 6.—"I am feeling fine and I am still ten days ahead of my schedule," said Edward Payson Weston, when he arrived here at 8:30 yesterday morning. He had walked fourteen miles since leaving Norborne, Mo., at 4:25 a. m.

Prof. Shorter Dead.

Nenita, O., March 26.—Prof. J. H. Shorter of Wilberforce university, one of the most prominent negro educators of the country, died yesterday.

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TO FOLLOW GRAFT LEADS

Outline of New York Insurance Investigation

THIS IN DESPITE OF RESULT

Hutchins Goes to Talk It Over with the Governor—Methods of Influencing Legislation to Be Exposed.

Albany, March 26.—Every lead developed in the insurance investigation now under way in New York City will be followed up by William H. Hutchins, superintendent of insurance, irrespective of who is hit or what party is injured by the disclosures. This was made plain yesterday by Mr. Hutchins, who is in Albany on departmental business. The superintendent called on Governor Hughes, but both declined to discuss the interview. Further revelations of a decidedly interesting nature are promised next week. It is understood that Mr. Hutchins has by no means exhausted the documentary material which led up to the investigation. Mr. Hutchins said:

"This investigation is entitled, 'In the matter of an investigation of the insurance companies doing business in the state of New York in the years 1900 to 1910 inclusive, and particularly as to expenses and disbursements of both companies.' The main object of the investigation is, however, to demonstrate the methods used and the amounts expended by such companies in accelerating or retarding legislation. As I view it, the people have a right to know whether their representatives represent them for financial considerations, and where facts exist indicating representation of such character the people should have such facts, no matter who is hit or what party is injured."

MORE SENSATIONS COMING.

Hutchins Has Only Scratched the Surface.

New York, March 26.—Fire insurance legislation at Albany formed the subject matter of further quiet inquiry yesterday by State Superintendent of Insurance Hutchins, who will at the continuance of the insurance hearings next Monday spread additional evidence on the record of how bills were introduced and desired legislation put through the legislature. "I am only scratching the surface," said Superintendent Hutchins, in speaking of the letters of G. P. Sheldon, president of the Phoenix Fire Insurance company to William H. Buckley, his legislative lawyer in 1900. "There are still other letters and more interesting than have already been read," Supreme Court Justice Edward McCall will probably be subpoenaed to tell what he knows of the check for \$50,000 made out to Mr. Buckley and signed by Mr. Sheldon. On the back of the check appeared the name of Edward McCall, who said yesterday that in time all those things would be explained.

SHERWOOD UNDER \$10,000 BOND.

Note Broker, Who Was Arrested in Boston, Before Court in New York.

New York, March 26.—John F. Sherwood, the broker, who was arrested in Boston, concerning the sale of Ohio Copper and Davis-Daly steel hypothesized with the Windsor Trust company for a loan of \$50,000 was held in \$10,000 bail Thursday for examination on Tuesday.

Counterfeit Conference.

Boston, March 26.—Michael Kuratowski, the Brooklyn counterfeit, made a clean breast of his work as a manufacturer and dispenser of spurious half dollars when arraigned before United States Commissioner Hayes yesterday. He claimed that he did it for fun and completely exonerated his brother John, who was also arrested. John was discharged, while Michael was held in \$1,300 for the United States district court, in June.

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BETHEL.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Sanders Observe 25th Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Sanders of Christian hill celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary March 17. The guests who were present brought with them substantial evidence of their regard for the couple in the form of silverware and \$30 in money. Rev. J. Wesley Miller made the presentation speech, to which Mr. Sanders responded. About 90 guests were present, among whom were Mrs. L. A. Perry of Stratford and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Paige of Randolph.

Miss Gertrude Putnam is in New York with the family of Robert Coy. A son, Richard Frederick, was born March 18 to Mr. and Mrs. Fred March. A daughter, Irma Jacqueline, was born March 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vick.

Mrs. Eugene W. Rogers of Montpelier is visiting this week her son, John W. Rogers. E. A. Fisher was in town this week, and is understood to expect to rebuild the tannery the present season.

Neelson Fairchild and family arrived last week and took possession of the Charles Waldo farm on Royalton hill. Rev. E. F. Felton has sold a portion of his firm to W. J. Tolson, who will carry it on in connection with his home farm.

Mrs. Fred Howe, who has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. T. King, has gone to join her husband at a lumber camp in New Hampshire.

R. C. Cowdrey has leased his place to Charles Burgess and will go to Williams town for six months, after which he expects to settle in Montpelier.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. C. Stickney started a few days ago on a western trip to Chicago and down the Mississippi river valley and will be gone about five weeks. F. P. Davidson, a former principal of the Whitcomb high school, who is now superintendent of schools at Turners Falls, Mass., has been visiting friends in town this week.

The death of Mrs. Eastman occurred Thursday night, after a long illness from some malignant trouble of the stomach. Deceased is survived by her husband and one daughter, about 15 years of age.

ANOTHER BOMB IN CHICAGO.

This Time It Wrecks a Gymnasium and Is Due to Labor Troubles.

Chicago, March 26.—Bomb throwers again became active in Chicago Thursday night. They threw a shell loaded with dynamite into a gymnasium under construction in the rear of a saloon on the West Side. The explosion wrecked the gymnasium. No one was injured. The police assert the bomb throwing was due to labor troubles.

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